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 FM NPIC WASHDC *multi*
 TO RUCSBR/SAC OFFUTT AFB OMAHA NEB
 RUCVAA/4080 STRAT WG OL 19 BARKSDALE AFB LA
 RUCVAA/2D RTS BARKSDALE AFB LA
 RUEAHQ/DIA WASHDC
 RUECYG/NAVRECONTECHSUPPCEN SUITLAND MD
 RUWBKN/15TH AF MARCH AFB RIVERSIDE CALIF
 RUWGAA/2AF BARKSDALE AFB LA
 BT
 S E C R E T CITE NPIC 2476.

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15TH AF (FOR DI), SAC (FOR DIM/GOLDEN TREE/DOCR, DM 4) 2D AF (FOR DI). ~~ACL~~

Grace (File)

1. CAMERA B 101 WAS USED IN MISSION 3914 FLOWN ON 18 JUNE 1964;

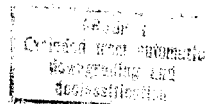
PROCESSING WAS ACCOMPLISHED BY NAV RECON TECH SUPPCEN.

2. ORIGINAL NEGATIVE:

A. THE EXPOSURE WAS ADEQUATE AND THE RESOLUTION IS GOOD.

B. 9R SIDE: PRESSURE ROLLER STATIC (CHATTER) IS PRESENT ALONG BOTH SIDES OF THE FILM AT THE BEGINNING OF THE MISSION BUT IT DIMINISHES GRADUALLY, FINALLY DISAPPEARING IN PART 5 OF 15 ALONG THE OUTBOARD SIDE AND PART 8 OF 15 ALONG THE INBOARD SIDE. MINOR EDGE STATIC OCCURS INTERMITTENTLY ALONG BOTH EDGES THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. A ROW OF MINUS DENSITY DOTS SPACED 1.55" APART IS LOCATED PARALLEL TO AND 0.75" FROM THE INBOARD EDGE. A LIGHT EMULSION SCRATCH IS NOTED INTERMITTENTLY PARALLEL TO AND 2.45" FROM THE OUTBOARD EDGE OF THE FILM FROM THE BEGINNING OF THE MISSION THROUGH PART 6. NUMEROUS SMALL EMULSION LIFTS AND CRIMPS ARE PRESENT ON FRAME 1268. THE CRIMPS ARE CONTINUED THROUGH FRAME 1270 WHERE TWO TAPE SPLICES, REPLACING HEAT SPLICES, ARE FOUND APPROXIMATELY 1.0" APART. ABRASIONS AND A FOLDED EDGE ARE ALSO FOUND ON FRAME

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1270. MANY BLISTERS ARE FOUND ON FRAMES 1782 AND 1783 LEADING UP TO A MANUFACTURER'S SPLICE ON FRAME 1783.

C. 9L SIDE: OUTBOARD EDGE STATIC DISCHARGES ARE PRESENT IN FRAMES 0015-1197. EDGE FOG ONLY IS PRESENT IN THE REMAINING FRAMES. THE INBOARD EDGE CONTAINS EDGE FOG AND INTERMITTENT STATIC DISCHARGES THROUGHOUT THE FILM. CAMERA ROLLER-INDUCED STATIC DISCHARGES (ROLLER CHATTER) ARE PRESENT ON BOTH EDGES OF FRAMES 0015-532. THESE DISCHARGES ARE NOT INTENSE AND ARE SOMETIMES DIFFICULT TO DETECT. FRAME 038 CONTAINS A LIGHT LEAK ON THE OUTBOARD EDGE NEAR THE TAKE-UP END OF THE FORMAT. FRAMES 932-1064 CONTAIN FINE CONTINUOUS SCRATCHES ON THE EMULSION SIDE OF THE FILM. HEAVY SCRATCHES ARE PRESENT IN FRAMES 1893-1895, WHILE A SINGLE LONG SCRATCH IS PRESENT IN FRAME 1408. FRAME 1409 CONTAINS AN INVERTED FIDUCIAL IMAGE ON THE OUTBOARD EDGE. NUMEROUS BITS OF FOREIGN MATTER WITH ASSOCIATED PLUS DENSITY STREAKS ARE PRESENT ON FRAMES 1194 AND 1195. HEAT SPLICES ARE POSITIONED INSIDE THE FORMATS OF FRAMES 190 AND 1387. A MANUFACTURER'S SPLICE IS PRESENT IN FRAME 1407.

D. BOTH SIDES: THE FRAMES ON BOTH SIDES ARE TITLED FROM 0015-1989.

E. NO MAJOR CAMERA MALFUNCTIONS OR PROCESSING ANOMALIES WERE NOTED ON THIS MISSION.

3. POSITIVE:

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A. THE PRINTING AND PROCESSING WERE GOOD.

B. THE PI SUITABILITY IS GOOD WHERE NOT DEGRADED BY ATMOSPHERIC
CONDITIONS.

C. CLOUDS DEGRADE OR OBSCURE APPROXIMATELY 15 PERCENT OF
THIS MISSION.

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(ABOVE MESSAGE ALSO PASSED CIA WATCH (CGS))